

## March 2005 GRANTS ALERT BULLETIN

### Grant Announcements

#### Family Focus:

The A.L. Mailman Family Foundation's mission is to enhance the ability of families and communities to nurture their children. The Foundation believes that the most effective way to fulfill this mission is by focusing on early childhood. Family support is the Foundation's goal in promoting programs and policies that help families to enhance the development of their children in a multi-cultural, changing society.

Contact the A.L. Mailman Foundation at <http://www.mailman.org>

#### Youth Development:

The Babcock Foundation, Inc. was created in 1953 with a \$12 million bequest from Mary Reynolds Babcock, a daughter of the founder of the R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. Based in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, the foundation concentrates its activities on community-building initiatives in the southeastern United States, placing a special emphasis on activities that seek to assure the well-being of children, youth, and families; bridge the fault lines of race and class; and invest in communities' human and natural resources over the long term. The Foundation's resources are currently concentrated in four primary grant making areas:

[GRASSROOTS LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT](#)

[ENTERPRISE AND ASSET DEVELOPMENT](#)

[COMMUNITY PROBLEM SOLVING](#)

[ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT](#)

Contact the Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation at <http://www.mrbf.org/apply>

#### Hunger, Health, Nutrition, Education and Youth:

The Albertson's Corporate Contribution Program charitable support is focused on hunger relief, health, nutrition, education and youth development. Our distribution centers, in conjunction with our suppliers, routinely collect and donate products to Second Harvest-affiliated food banks, churches and other community-based hunger relief operations. Through a partnership with the Coca-Cola Company, Albertsons distributed a half-million books to hundreds of schools across the country from their Half-Million Books Program.

Grant applications are accepted year-round. Contact Albertsons at:

[http://www.albertsons.com/abs\\_inthecommunity/community\\_support/how\\_to\\_grant.asp](http://www.albertsons.com/abs_inthecommunity/community_support/how_to_grant.asp)

#### Community Foundation: (Dan River Region)

The DPC Community Foundation was established in 1996 to serve the charitable needs of the city of Danville and Pittsylvania and Caswell Counties, Virginia. The foundation maintains a number of funds that help to meet a variety of social, educational, health and other area needs.

Visit the foundation's web site at <http://www.cfdr.org/grants.htm> to find more about the grant making programs, application criteria and contact information.

#### Community Foundation: (Roanoke Area)

Foundation for Roanoke Valley, Inc. makes grants to qualified nonprofit organizations primarily in the cities of Roanoke and Salem and the counties of Roanoke, Alleghany, Botetourt, Craig, Franklin and

Rockbridge. Its mission is to help individuals and families to meet continuing and emerging community needs by identifying and assessing community issues.

Contact the Roanoke Foundation at <http://www.foundationforroanokevalley.org/>

#### **Working Communities:**

The Abbott Fund supports human health and welfare through federated or community drives funding local institutions in Abbott communities. The amount of support to specific campaigns is based on the number of employees living in the areas served by the agencies and the level of employee support of such campaigns. With Virginia locations in Blacksburg and Wytheville, Abbott Laboratories supports individual hospitals and other health care institutions to primarily improve the services and facilities of those used most frequently by Abbott employees and their families.

Contact Abbott Laboratories at <http://www.abbott.com/citizenship/fund/fund.cfm#apply>

Rite Aid Pharmacy is dedicated to helping people in the communities to lead happier and healthier lives. Specific interest lies in improving the lives of our customers and associates through projects that focus on health care, women and families.

Contact Rite Aid Pharmacy at [http://www.riteaid.com/company\\_info/community/foundation.php](http://www.riteaid.com/company_info/community/foundation.php)

The Rohm and Haas Company Contributions Program emphasis the importance to improve the quality of life in company communities specifically in Blacksburg and Wytheville Virginia. The funding areas of interest are education, civic, community; health and human services.

Visit <http://www.rohmhaas.com/community/giving/guidelines/application.html> for more information

#### **Scholarship Information:**

The Bailey Family Foundation, Inc. established in 1997, holds a mission of expanding the availability and enhancing the quality of post-secondary education. Based on set criteria, the foundation provides financial assistance to students for higher education. Visit the foundation's web site to view the funding criteria and to learn about the various programs, the Bailey family, application and procedures.

Contact the Bailey Foundation at <http://bailey-family.org/>

#### **Service, Advocacy, and Empowerment for Disadvantaged Populations:**

The Public Welfare Foundation is dedicated to supporting organizations that provide services to disadvantaged populations and work for lasting improvements in the delivery of services that meet basic human needs. Funding priorities include community development, health and youth. While most grants are made to organizations in the United States, the Foundation has no geographic restrictions and limited support is provided to organizations in other countries. Visit the website for more information.

[http://www.publicwelfare.org/first\\_time/loi\\_checklist.asp](http://www.publicwelfare.org/first_time/loi_checklist.asp)

#### **Juvenile Justice:**

Office of Justice Programs-Juvenile Accountability Block Grants Program (JABG) program helps states develop programs that promote greater accountability among offenders and in the juvenile justice system. For the juvenile offender, accountability means an assurance of facing individualized consequences through which he or she will be made aware of and held responsible for offenses committed. Such accountability is best achieved through a system of graduated sanctions that are imposed according to the nature and severity of the offense, moving from limited interventions to more restrictive actions if the juvenile offender continues delinquent activities.

<http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/funding/fy2005JABG.pdf>.

**Domestic Grants:**

Mattel and the Mattel Children's Foundation have launched a new Domestic Grants Program. For the first time in over 5 years, unsolicited grants are being accepted for review for funding. Charitable organizations throughout the U.S. that directly serve children in need will be eligible for financial grants in amounts of \$5,000 to \$25,000, depending on program, organization and individual community need. Applications for Cycle I are accepted from January 1, 2005 to April 8, 2005 and July 1 through September 30, 2005.

[http://www.mattel.com/about\\_us/Comm\\_Involvement/ci\\_mcf\\_over1.asp](http://www.mattel.com/about_us/Comm_Involvement/ci_mcf_over1.asp)